

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**Attorney Docket No. 007034.00017**

In re the Application of QUEMENEUR	)	
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Application No. TBA	)	
	)	U.S. National Stage of International Application
Filed: November 24, 2004 (PCT filing date)	)	No. PCT/FR2004/003004
	)	
For: FLEXIBLE TUBE COMPRISING	)	
AN ELECTRONIC COMPONENT	)	

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to examination and calculation of any claim fees, please amend the instant application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.